



**AS/Ega (2022) OJ 07 rev 2**

10 October 2022

## **Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination**

### **Draft agenda (revised 2)**

**of the meetings to be held, in Strasbourg, Palais de l'Europe, on**

- **Monday 10 October 2022, from 2 to 3pm (room 6)**
- **Tuesday 11 October 2022, from 8.30 to 10am (room 6)**
- **Thursday 13 October 2022, from 2 to 3.30pm (room 9)**

**On Tuesday 11 October 2022, from 2 to 3.30pm (room 3): joint meeting of the Sub-Committee on Disability and Multiple and Intersectional Discrimination and the Parliamentary Network Women Free from Violence**

**On Thursday 13 October 2022, from 9 to 10am (room 3): meeting of the Parliamentary Platform for the rights of LGBTI people in Europe**

### **(CEST)**

*All items will be taken in the order in which they appear on the agenda, with the exception of those for which a precise time is indicated.*

#### **Monday 10 October 2022, from 2 to 3pm (room 6)**

1. **Agenda**  
[AS/Ega (2022) OJ 07 rev 2]

Adoption of the draft agenda.

**This draft agenda, addressed to full members of the Committee and their alternates,  
is the convocation to the meeting**

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**2. Appointment of representatives** (*subject to the availability of funds*)  
[Invitation]

Invitation to Ms Yevheniia Kravchuk (Ukraine, ALDE) to participate in the first edition of the Women, Peace and Security Forum, in Pristina, Republic of Kosovo,<sup>1</sup> on 22-23 October 2022.

**3. Sexual and reproductive health and rights** [*open to the public*]  
*Rapporteur: Ms Petra Stienen (Netherlands, ALDE)*

Hearing with the participation of:

- Ms Alice Rawsthorn OBE, design critic, author and co-founder of Design Emergency, London;
- Ms Jimena Acosta, curator of contemporary design and art at the Museo de Arte Moderno, Mexico City (*online*).

**Tuesday, 11 October 2022, from 8.30 to 10am (room 6)**

**4. Statement by the Chairperson of the Committee**

**5. Raising awareness of and countering Islamophobia, or anti-Muslim racism, in Europe**

*Rapporteur: Mr Momodou Malcolm Jallow (Sweden, UEL)*  
[Doc. 15616; amendments]

Consideration of possible amendments to the draft resolution.

*Deadline for tabling amendments: Monday 10 October, 4pm*  
*Debate in the Assembly will take place on Tuesday 11 October, afternoon*

[at 9am]

**6. The Istanbul Convention: progress and challenges** [*open to the public*]

*Rapporteur: Ms Zita Gurmai (Hungary, SOC)*  
[AS/Ega (2022) 37]

Hearing with the participation of:

- Mr Tiny Kox, President of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe;
- Ms Iris Luarasi, President of the Group of Experts on Action against Violence against Women and Domestic Violence (GREVIO);
- Ambassador Marie Fontanel, Chair of the Committee of the Parties on Preventing and Combating Violence against Women and Domestic Violence (Istanbul Convention), Permanent Representative of France to the Council of Europe.

[at 9.45am]

**7. Denial of women's freedoms and repression of women's rights protests in Iran - urgent political action is needed**

[AS/Ega (2022) 46]

Consideration and possible adoption of a draft declaration.

[at 9.50am]

*Participants are invited to take part in a group photo in support of women's rights in Iran*

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<sup>1</sup> All reference to Kosovo, whether to the territory, institutions or population shall be understood in full compliance with United Nations Security Council Resolution 1244 and without prejudice to the status of Kosovo.

**Tuesday 11 October 2022, from 2 to 3.30 pm (room 3): joint meeting of the Sub-Committee on Disability and Multiple and Intersectional Discrimination and the Parliamentary Network Women Free from Violence**

**8. Preventing and combating violence against women with disabilities** [*open to the public*]

Hearing with the participation of:

- Ms Reem Alsalem, United Nations Special Rapporteur on violence against women, its causes and consequences (*pre-recorded video*);
- Ms Helen Portal, Advocacy and Policy Officer, Inclusion Europe;
- Ms Elisa Rojas, lawyer, Paris (*online*);
- Ms Claire Desaint, Vice-President, “Women to speak, women to act” Association (*Des femmes pour le dire des femmes pour agir*).

*See separate draft agenda.*

**Thursday 13 October 2022, from 9 to 10am (room 3): meeting of the Parliamentary Platform for the rights of LGBTI people in Europe**

**9. The threatened ban of EuroPride events in Belgrade: an attack on equality, democracy and human rights** [*open to the public*]

Exchange of views with Mr Filip Lukić, Head of Communication, EuroPride 2022.

*See separate draft agenda.*

**Thursday 13 October 2022, from 2 to 3.30pm (room 9)**

**10. The fight for a level playing field – ending discrimination against women in the world of sport**

*Rapporteur: Ms Edite Estrela (Portugal, SOC)*

[[Doc. 15611](#); amendments]

Consideration of possible amendments to the draft resolution.

*Deadline for tabling amendments: Wednesday 12 October, 4pm*

*Debate in the Assembly will take place on Thursday 13 October, afternoon*

**11. Finding solutions for marital captivity**

*Rapporteur: Ms Margreet De Boer (Netherlands, SOC)*

[AS/Ega (2022) 44]

Consideration of a draft report and adoption of a draft resolution.

**12. Work programme**

[AS/Ega/Inf (2022) 01 rev 6; AS/Ega/Inf (2022) 24]

- i. Consideration of the work programme
- ii. Motion for a resolution on *Institutional racism of law enforcement authorities against Roma and Travellers*  
[[Doc. 15561](#); letters; Opinion of the Czech Ministry of Interior]

iii. Appointment of rapporteurs for report<sup>2</sup>:

- *Preventing and combating violence and discrimination against LBQ women in Europe*, motion for a resolution tabled by the Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination [Doc. 15559];
- *Institutional racism of law enforcement authorities against Roma and Travellers*, motion for a resolution tabled by the Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination [Doc. 15561];
- *Women in the economy: employment, entrepreneurship and gender budgeting*, motion for a resolution tabled by the Committee on Equality and Non-Discrimination [Doc. 15562].

iv. Consideration of a draft motion for a resolution with a view to adoption by the Committee for tabling on *Protecting women human rights defenders in Europe* [AS/Ega (2022) 45]

**13. Appointment of representatives** (subject to the availability of funds)  
[GEC (2022) OJ 02]

- Invitation to participate in the 22<sup>nd</sup> Gender Equality Commission (GEC) meeting, to be held in Strasbourg on 16-18 November 2022;
- Invitation to Ms Zita Gurmai (Hungary, SOC) to participate in the meeting of the Committee of the Parties to the Istanbul Convention in Strasbourg on December 2022 (*date to be confirmed*).

**14. International Day for the Elimination of Violence against Women 2022 and 16 Days of Activism against Gender-Based Violence (25 November to 10 December)**

- Standing Committee in Reykjavik (25 November 2022);
- Activities of the Committee and Network.

**15. Free debate**

**16. Other business**

**17. Next meetings**

- Paris, 1 December 2022 (Council of Europe office);
- Strasbourg, during the first part-session 2023 of the Assembly (23-27 January);
- Paris, 21 March 2023 (Council of Europe office) (*to be confirmed*);
- Strasbourg, during the second part-session 2023 of the Assembly (24-28 April);
- Paris, 16 May 2023 (Council of Europe office) (*to be confirmed*);
- Strasbourg, during the third part-session 2023 of the Assembly (19-23 June);
- Paris, 15 September 2023 (Council of Europe office) (*to be confirmed*);
- Strasbourg, during the fourth part-session 2023 of the Assembly (9-13 October);
- Paris, 7 December 2023 (Council of Europe office) (*to be confirmed*).

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<sup>2</sup> Subject to ratification by the Assembly on 10 October 2022.